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MEMORANDUM OF CONVERSATION

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Date: September 25, 1967

Time: 5:15 P.M.

Place: Waldorf-Astoria Hotel

Subject: Greece (part 3 of 6)

Participants:

U.S.	Foreign
Secretary Rusk	Prime Minister Krag
Mr. Glitman (notetaker)	Foreign Minister Designate Tabor
Mr. Krogh, White House Fellow	Under Secretary of the Foreign Office Fischer
	Ambassador (to Washington) Ronne

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The meeting was held at Prime Minister Krag's request.

Prime Minister Krag said the three Scandanavian countries have questioned whether the present Greek government is ruling in accord with the European Convention on Human Rights and expects to bring the problem before the Convention's implementing body in Strasbourg. The Secretary said the U.S. was also carefully watching the situation in Greece. However, the trend of political developments will not be clear until after the constitutional plebiscite is held in late November or early December.

None

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The Prime Minister asked whether the Secretary believed the Greek King was playing his role properly. The Secretary said he believed the King was acting courageously within the limits of his powers. It is important to keep the King where he is, not to embarrass him with too much support and to avoid a civil war.